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A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 CONCERNING THE MANAGEMENT OF PLASTIC PRODUCTS.

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted. If this bill passes third reading in the house of introduction, a bill summary that applies to the reengrossed version of this bill will be available at http://leg.colorado.gov.)

Under current law, local governments are prohibited from requiring or banning the use or sale of specific types of plastic materials or products. **Section 1** repeals the prohibition on July 1, 2023.

Section 2 prohibits stores and retail food establishments, on and after September 1, 2022, from providing single-use plastic carryout bags to customers. The prohibition does not apply to inventory purchased before September 1, 2022, and used on or before March 31, 2023, which may be supplied to a customer at the point of sale for a 10-cent fee.

HOUSE d Reading Unamended May 5, 2021

HOUSE Amended 2nd Reading May 4, 2021 Between September 1, 2021, and September 1, 2022, a store may furnish a recycled paper carryout bag or a single-use plastic carryout bag to a customer at the point of sale if the customer pays a fee of 10 cents per bag or a higher fee adopted by the municipality or county in which the store is located.

On and after September 1, 2022, a store may furnish only a recycled paper carryout bag to a customer at the point of sale at a fee of 10 cents per bag or a higher fee imposed by the municipality or county in which the store is located.

A store is required to remit, on a quarterly basis beginning January 1, 2022, 60% of the carryout bag fee revenues to the municipality or county within which the store is located and may retain the remaining 40% of the carryout bag fee revenues. A municipality or county may use its portion of the carryout bag fee revenues to pay for its administrative and enforcement costs and any recycling, composting, or other waste diversion programs or related outreach or education activities.

The carryout bag fee does not apply to a customer that provides evidence to the store that the customer is a participant in a federal or state food assistance program.

Section 2 also prohibits a retail food establishment, on and after January 1, 2022, from distributing an expanded polystyrene product for use as a container for ready-to-eat food in this state. The prohibition does not apply to retail food establishments located within certain schools until January 1, 2023; except that the prohibition does not apply to a high school until January 1, 2024.

Retail food establishments that purchase expanded polystyrene products before January 1, 2022, may continue to use the products until their supply is depleted.

Section 2 also authorizes a local government to enforce against a violation of section 2 and expressly authorizes a county to impose a civil penalty against a store or retail food establishment of \$500 for a second violation or \$1,000 for a third or subsequent violation.

On and after July 1, 2023, a local government may enact, implement, or enforce an ordinance, resolution, rule, or charter provision that is as stringent as or more stringent than the requirements set forth in the bill.

1 Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:

3 <u>SECTION 1. In Colorado Revised Statutes, repeal 25-17-104 as</u>

4 <u>follows:</u>

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1	25-17-104. Local government preemption. No unit of local
2	government shall require or prohibit the use or sale of specific types of
3	plastic materials or products or restrict or mandate containers, packaging,
4	or labeling for any consumer products.
5	SECTION 2. In Colorado Revised Statutes, add part 5 to article
6	17 of title 25 as follows:
7	PART 5
8	MANAGEMENT OF PLASTIC PRODUCTS
9	25-17-501. Short title. The short title of this part 5 is the
10	"PLASTIC POLLUTION REDUCTION ACT".
11	25-17-502. Legislative declaration. THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
12	FINDS, DETERMINES, AND DECLARES THAT LIMITING THE USE OF
13	SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT BAGS AND EXPANDED POLYSTYRENE
14	PRODUCTS WILL MITIGATE THE HARMFUL EFFECTS ON OUR STATE'S
15	NATURAL RESOURCES AND OUR ENVIRONMENT THAT RESULT FROM
16	DISPOSING OF THESE PRODUCTS IN OUR LANDFILLS.
17	25-17-503. Definitions - rules. AS USED IN THIS PART 5, UNLESS
18	THE CONTEXT OTHERWISE REQUIRES:
19	(1) (a) "CARRYOUT BAG" MEANS A BAG THAT IS FURNISHED TO A
20	CUSTOMER AT A STORE OR RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT AT THE POINT OF
21	SALE FOR USE BY THE CUSTOMER TO TRANSPORT OR CARRY PURCHASED
22	ITEMS.
23	(b) "CARRYOUT BAG" DOES NOT INCLUDE:
24	(I) A BAG MADE OF PAPER WHEN THE PAPER HAS A BASIS WEIGHT
25	OF THIRTY POUNDS OR LESS;
26	(II) A BAG THAT A PHARMACY PROVIDES TO A CUSTOMER
27	PURCHASING PRESCRIPTION MEDICATION;

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2	(III) A BAG THAT A CUSTOMER USES INSIDE A STORE TO:
3	(A) PACKAGE LOOSE OR BULK ITEMS, SUCH AS FRUITS,
4	VEGETABLES, NUTS, GRAINS, CANDY, OR GREETING CARDS; NAILS, BOLTS,
5	SCREWS, OR OTHER SMALL HARDWARE ITEMS; LIVE INSECTS, FISH,
6	CRUSTACEANS, MOLLUSKS, OR OTHER SMALL SPECIES; AND BULK SEED,
7	BULK LIVESTOCK FEED, OR BULK PET FEED;
8	(B) CONTAIN OR WRAP FROZEN FOODS, MEAT, SEAFOOD, FISH,
9	FLOWERS, POTTED PLANTS, OR OTHER ITEMS THAT, IF THEY WERE TO COME
10	IN CONTACT WITH OTHER ITEMS, COULD DAMPEN OR CONTAMINATE THE
11	OTHER ITEMS; OR
12	(C) CONTAIN UNWRAPPED PREPARED FOODS OR BAKERY GOODS;
13	OR
14	(IV) A LAUNDRY, DRY CLEANING, OR GARMENT BAG.
15	(2) "CONTAINER" MEANS A RECEPTACLE UPON WHICH OR INSIDE
16	WHICH FOOD MAY BE PLACED FOR CONSUMPTION, WHETHER OR NOT THE
17	RECEPTACLE CAN BE FULLY CLOSED. "CONTAINER" INCLUDES HINGED
18	FOOD CONTAINERS, PLATES, BOWLS, CUPS, AND TRAYS.
19	(3) "EXPANDED POLYSTYRENE" MEANS BLOWN POLYSTYRENE,
20	COMMONLY KNOWN AS STYROFOAM TM , AND ANY OTHER EXPANDED OR
21	EXTRUDED FOAM CONSISTING OF THERMOPLASTIC PETROCHEMICAL
22	MATERIALS UTILIZING A STYRENE MONOMER AND PROCESSED BY
23	TECHNIQUES THAT MAY INCLUDE:
24	(a) FOR EXPANDABLE BEAD POLYSTYRENE, FUSION OF POLYMER
25	SPHERES;
26	(b) Injection molding;
27	(c) FOAM MOLDING; AND

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1	(a) FOR EXTRUDED FOAM POLYSTYRENE, EXTRUSION BLOW
2	MOLDING.
3	(4) (a) "FOOD" MEANS ANY RAW, COOKED, OR PROCESSED EDIBLE
4	SUBSTANCE, ICE, BEVERAGE, OR INGREDIENT USED OR INTENDED FOR USE
5	OR FOR SALE, IN WHOLE OR IN PART, FOR HUMAN CONSUMPTION.
6	(b) "FOOD" DOES NOT INCLUDE A DRUG, AS THAT TERM IS DEFINED
7	IN SECTION 25-5-402 (9).
8	(5) "Plastic" means a synthetic material made from
9	LINKING MONOMERS THROUGH A CHEMICAL REACTION TO CREATE A
10	POLYMER CHAIN THAT CAN BE MOLDED OR EXTRUDED AT HIGH HEAT INTO
11	VARIOUS SOLID FORMS THAT RETAIN THEIR DEFINED SHAPES DURING THEIR
12	LIFE CYCLE AND AFTER DISPOSAL.
13	(6) "POINT OF SALE" MEANS A CHECK-OUT STAND, CASH REGISTER,
14	OR OTHER POINT AT WHICH A SALES TRANSACTION OCCURS IN A STORE OR
15	RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT OR, FOR PRODUCTS THAT ARE ORDERED
16	REMOTELY FROM A STORE OR RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT AND
17	DELIVERED, THE LOCATION WHERE THE PRODUCTS ARE DELIVERED.
18	(7) "READY-TO-EAT FOOD" MEANS FOOD THAT IS COOKED OR
19	OTHERWISE PREPARED IN ADVANCE FOR IMMEDIATE CONSUMPTION.
20	(8) "RECYCLED PAPER CARRYOUT BAG" MEANS A CARRYOUT BAG
21	MADE FROM ONE HUNDRED PERCENT:
22	(a) RECYCLED MATERIAL; OR
23	(b) OTHER POST-CONSUMER CONTENT.
24	(9) (a) "RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT" HAS THE MEANING SET
25	FORTH IN SECTION 25-4-1602 (14) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION
26	(9)(b) OF THIS SECTION.
27	(b) "RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT" DOES NOT INCLUDE FARMERS

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1	MARKETS AND ROADSIDE MARKETS AS DESCRIBED IN SECTION 25-4-1602
2	(14)(j).
3	(10) (a) "Reusable carryout bag" means a carryout bag
4	THAT IS DESIGNED AND MANUFACTURED FOR AT LEAST ONE HUNDRED
5	TWENTY-FIVE USES, CAN CARRY AT LEAST TWENTY-TWO POUNDS OVER A
6	DISTANCE OF ONE HUNDRED SEVENTY-FIVE FEET, HAS STITCHED HANDLES,
7	AND IS MADE OF CLOTH, FIBER, OR OTHER FABRIC OR A RECYCLED
8	MATERIAL SUCH AS POLYETHYLENE TEREPHTHALATE (PET).
9	(b) "REUSABLE CARRYOUT BAG" DOES NOT INCLUDE BAGS MADE
10	OF BIOLOGICALLY BASED POLYMERS SUCH AS CORN OR OTHER PLANT
11	SOURCES; EXCEPT THAT A CARRYOUT BAG MADE OF HEMP IS A REUSABLE
12	CARRYOUT BAG IF IT IS DESIGNED AND MANUFACTURED IN ACCORDANCE
13	WITH SUBSECTION (10)(a) OF THIS SECTION.
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15	(11) "SCHOOL" HAS THE MEANING SET FORTH IN SECTION
16	23-3.9-101 (6).
17	(12) (a) "SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT BAG" MEANS A
18	CARRYOUT BAG THAT IS A SINGLE-USE PLASTIC PRODUCT MADE
19	PREDOMINANTLY OF PLASTIC DERIVED FROM NATURAL GAS, PETROLEUM,
20	OR A BIOLOGICALLY BASED SOURCE, SUCH AS CORN OR OTHER PLANT
21	SOURCES, AND THAT IS PROVIDED TO A CUSTOMER AT THE POINT OF SALE.
22	(b) "SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT BAG" DOES NOT INCLUDE A
23	REUSABLE CARRYOUT BAG.
24	(13) (a) "Store" means a grocery store, supermarket,
25	CONVENIENCE STORE, LIQUOR STORE, DRY CLEANER, PHARMACY, DRUG
26	STORE, CLOTHING STORE, OR OTHER TYPE OF RETAIL ESTABLISHMENT AT
27	WHICH CARRYOUT BAGS ARE TRADITIONALLY PROVIDED TO CUSTOMERS.

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1	(b) "STORE" INCLUDES A FARMERS MARKET, ROADSIDE MARKET
2	OR STAND, FESTIVAL, OR OTHER TEMPORARY VENDOR OR EVENT THAT
3	INCLUDES TEMPORARY VENDORS.
4	25-17-504. Restrictions on use of single-use plastic carryout
5	bag - inventory exception - repeal. (1) SUBJECT TO SECTION 25-17-505
6	(1), on and after <u>January 1, 2024,</u> a store or retail food
7	ESTABLISHMENT SHALL NOT PROVIDE A SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT
8	BAG TO A CUSTOMER; EXCEPT THAT A RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT NEED
9	NOT COMPLY WITH THIS SECTION IF THE RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT:
10	(a) PREPARES OR SERVES FOOD IN INDIVIDUAL PORTIONS FOR
11	IMMEDIATE ON- OR OFF-PREMISES CONSUMPTION; AND
12	(b) IS NOT A GROCERY STORE OR CONVENIENCE STORE.
13	(2) (a) Subject to the carryout bag fee applied to
14	SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT BAGS IN SECTION 25-17-505, A STORE OR
15	RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT MAY PROVIDE A SINGLE-USE PLASTIC
16	Carryout bag to a customer on or before $\underline{\text{June 1, 2024,}}$ if the
17	SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT BAG WAS PART OF THE STORE'S OR RETAIL
18	FOOD ESTABLISHMENT'S INVENTORY BEFORE <u>JANUARY 1, 2024.</u>
19	(b) This subsection (2) is repealed, effective September 1,
20	<u>2024.</u>
21	25-17-505. Carryout bag fee - disposition of money - repeal.
22	(1) (a) On and after January 1, 2023, and before January 1, 2024,
23	A STORE MAY PROVIDE A CUSTOMER WITH ONE OR MORE RECYCLED PAPER
24	CARRYOUT BAGS OR SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT BAGS AT THE POINT
25	OF SALE ONLY IF THE CUSTOMER PAYS A CARRYOUT BAG FEE OF TEN CENTS
26	PER RECYCLED PAPER CARRYOUT BAG OR SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT
27	BAG OR A HIGHER FEE IF A MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY IN WHICH THE STORE

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1	IS LOCATED RAISES THE FEE AMOUNT BY ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION. FOR
2	EACH CARRYOUT BAG FEE COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION
3	(1)(a), THE STORE SHALL:
4	(I) REMIT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (3)(d) OF THIS
5	SECTION, SIXTY PERCENT TO THE MUNICIPALITY WITHIN WHICH THE STORE
6	IS LOCATED OR, IF THE STORE IS NOT LOCATED WITHIN A MUNICIPALITY, TO
7	THE COUNTY WITHIN WHICH THE STORE IS LOCATED, WHICH MUNICIPALITY
8	OR COUNTY SHALL USE THE REMITTED FEE TO PAY:
9	(A) ITS ADMINISTRATIVE AND ENFORCEMENT COSTS INCURRED AS
10	A RESULT OF THIS SECTION; AND
11	(B) FOR ANY RECYCLING, COMPOSTING, OR OTHER WASTE
12	DIVERSION PROGRAMS AND RELATED OUTREACH AND EDUCATION
13	ACTIVITIES; AND
14	(II) RETAIN FORTY PERCENT, WHICH PORTION OF THE FEE DOES NOT
15	COUNT AS REVENUE FOR THE PURPOSE OF CALCULATING SALES TAX.
16	(b) The Carryout bag fee set forth in Subsection (1)(a) of
17	THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A CUSTOMER THAT PROVIDES EVIDENCE
18	TO THE STORE THAT THE CUSTOMER IS A PARTICIPANT IN A FEDERAL OR
19	STATE FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.
20	(c) This subsection (1) is repealed, effective September 1,
21	<u>2024.</u>
22	(2) (a) On and after January 1, 2024, a store may provide a
23	CUSTOMER WITH ONE OR MORE RECYCLED PAPER CARRYOUT BAGS AT THE
24	POINT OF SALE ONLY IF THE CUSTOMER PAYS A CARRYOUT BAG FEE OF TEN
25	CENTS PER RECYCLED PAPER CARRYOUT BAG, OR A HIGHER FEE IF A
26	MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY IN WHICH THE STORE IS LOCATED RAISES THE
27	FEE AMOUNT BY ORDINANCE OR RESOLUTION. FOR EACH CARRYOUT BAG

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1	FEE COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION (2), THE STORE SHALL:
2	(I) REMIT, IN ACCORDANCE WITH SUBSECTION (3)(d) OF THIS
3	SECTION, SIXTY PERCENT TO THE MUNICIPALITY WITHIN WHICH THE STORE
4	IS LOCATED OR, IF THE STORE IS NOT LOCATED WITHIN A MUNICIPALITY, TO
5	THE COUNTY WITHIN WHICH THE STORE IS LOCATED, WHICH MUNICIPALITY
6	OR COUNTY SHALL USE THE REMITTED FEE TO PAY:
7	(A) ITS ADMINISTRATIVE AND ENFORCEMENT COSTS INCURRED AS
8	A RESULT OF THIS SECTION; AND
9	(B) FOR ANY RECYCLING, COMPOSTING, OR OTHER WASTE
10	DIVERSION PROGRAMS AND RELATED OUTREACH AND EDUCATION
11	ACTIVITIES; AND
12	(II) RETAIN FORTY PERCENT, WHICH PORTION OF THE FEE DOES NOT
13	COUNT AS REVENUE FOR THE PURPOSE OF CALCULATING SALES TAX.
14	(b) The Carryout bag fee set forth in subsection (2)(a) of
15	THIS SECTION DOES NOT APPLY TO A CUSTOMER THAT PROVIDES EVIDENCE
16	TO THE STORE THAT THE CUSTOMER IS A PARTICIPANT IN A FEDERAL OR
17	STATE FOOD ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.
18	(c) (I) BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2024, AND ENDING JUNE 1, 2024, A
19	STORE MAY PROVIDE A CUSTOMER WITH A SINGLE-USE PLASTIC CARRYOUT
20	BAG AT THE POINT OF SALE FOR THE CARRYOUT BAG FEE DESCRIBED IN
21	SUBSECTION (2)(a) OF THIS SECTION ONLY IF THE SINGLE-USE PLASTIC
22	CARRYOUT BAG IS WITHIN THE STORE'S REMAINING INVENTORY PURSUANT
23	TO SECTION 25-17-504 (2)(a). THE STORE SHALL REMIT THE FEE
24	COLLECTED PURSUANT TO THIS SUBSECTION $(2)(c)$ IN ACCORDANCE WITH
25	SUBSECTION (2)(a) OF THIS SECTION.
26	(II) This subsection (2)(c) is repealed, effective July 1, $\underline{2024}$.
27	(3) IN PROVIDING CARRYOUT BAGS FOR A FEE PURSUANT TO THIS

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1	SECTION, A STORE SHALL:
2	(a) FOR EACH CUSTOMER PROVIDED A CARRYOUT BAG FOR A FEE,
3	PROVIDE ON THE CUSTOMER'S TRANSACTION RECEIPT A RECORD OF THE
4	NUMBER OF CARRYOUT BAGS PROVIDED AS PART OF THE TRANSACTION
5	AND THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF FEES CHARGED FOR THE CARRYOUT BAGS
6	PROVIDED, ITEMIZED BY TYPE OF CARRYOUT BAG;
7	(b) Not refund to the customer any portion of the
8	CARRYOUT BAG FEE, EITHER DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY, OR ADVERTISE OR
9	OTHERWISE CONVEY TO CUSTOMERS THAT ANY PORTION OF THE
10	CARRYOUT BAG FEE WILL BE REFUNDED;
11	(c) CONSPICUOUSLY DISPLAY A SIGN IN A LOCATION INSIDE OR
12	OUTSIDE THE STORE, WHICH SIGN ALERTS CUSTOMERS ABOUT THE
13	CARRYOUT BAG FEE; AND
14	(d) (I) On a quarterly basis starting <u>April 1, 2024,</u> remit
15	FROM THE TOTAL AMOUNT OF CARRYOUT BAG FEES COLLECTED IN THE
16	PREVIOUS QUARTER THE AMOUNT THAT IS OWED TO THE MUNICIPALITY OR
17	COUNTY:
18	(A) TO THE FINANCE DEPARTMENT OR DIVISION OR EQUIVALENT
19	AGENCY OF THE MUNICIPALITY WITHIN WHICH THE STORE IS LOCATED; OR
20	(B) IF THE STORE IS NOT LOCATED WITHIN A MUNICIPALITY, TO THE
21	FINANCE DEPARTMENT OR DIVISION OR EQUIVALENT AGENCY OF THE
22	COUNTY WITHIN WHICH THE STORE IS LOCATED.
23	(II) A STORE NEED NOT REMIT CARRYOUT BAG FEES COLLECTED IN
24	ANY QUARTER IN WHICH THE COLLECTED FEES TOTAL LESS THAN TWENTY
25	DOLLARS. THE STORE SHALL RETAIN THOSE COLLECTED FEES UNTIL THE
26	STORE HAS MORE THAN TWENTY DOLLARS WORTH OF COLLECTED FEES TO
27	REMIT AND SHALL REMIT THOSE FEES AS PART OF THE NEXT QUARTERLY

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1	REMITTANCE.
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4	25-17-506. Prohibition on use of expanded polystyrene food
5	containers. (1) EXCEPT AS PROVIDED IN SUBSECTION (2) OF THIS SECTION
6	EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2024, A RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT SHALL NOT
7	DISTRIBUTE AN EXPANDED POLYSTYRENE PRODUCT FOR USE AS A
8	CONTAINER FOR READY-TO-EAT FOOD IN THIS STATE.
9	(2) If a retail food establishment purchased expanded
10	POLYSTYRENE PRODUCTS BEFORE JANUARY 1, 2024, THE RETAIL FOOD
11	ESTABLISHMENT MAY DISTRIBUTE ANY REMAINING INVENTORY OF THE
12	EXPANDED POLYSTYRENE PRODUCTS THEN PURCHASED FOR USE AS
13	CONTAINERS FOR READY-TO-EAT FOOD IN THIS STATE UNTIL THE
14	INVENTORY IS DEPLETED.
15	25-17-507. Enforcement - possible penalties. (1) (a) EXCEPT AS
16	PROVIDED IN SUBSECTIONS (1)(b) AND (1)(c) OF THIS SECTION, A LOCAL
17	GOVERNMENT MAY ENFORCE A VIOLATION OF THIS PART 5 AGAINST A
18	STORE OR RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT THAT IS LOCATED WITHIN THE
19	BOUNDARIES OF THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT IN THE MANNER THAT THE
20	LOCAL GOVERNMENT CHOOSES.
21	(b)(I)A county that chooses to enforce a violation of this
22	PART 5 AGAINST A STORE OR RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT LOCATED
23	WITHIN THE UNINCORPORATED BOUNDARIES OF THE COUNTY MAY SEEK
24	INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AGAINST THE STORE OR RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT
25	OR MAY ASSESS THE FOLLOWING CIVIL PENALTIES AGAINST THE STORE OF
26	RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT:
7	(A) HD TO FIVE HIMDDED DOLLARS FOR A SECOND VIOLATION: OF

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1	(B) UP TO ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS FOR A THIRD OR SUBSEQUENT
2	VIOLATION.
3	(II) A COUNTY THAT CHOOSES TO ENFORCE A VIOLATION OF THIS
4	PART 5 MAY BOTH SEEK INJUNCTIVE RELIEF AND IMPOSE A CIVIL PENALTY
5	IN ACCORDANCE WITH THIS SUBSECTION (1)(b).
6	(c) A LOCAL GOVERNMENT SHALL NOT ENFORCE A VIOLATION OF
7	THIS PART 5 AGAINST A RETAIL FOOD ESTABLISHMENT LOCATED WITHIN A
8	SCHOOL.
9	(2) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, EACH RETAIL SALES
10	TRANSACTION IN WHICH A VIOLATION OF THIS PART 5 IS COMMITTED,
11	REGARDLESS OF WHETHER MULTIPLE VIOLATIONS OF THIS PART 5 ARE
12	COMMITTED IN ONE RETAIL SALES TRANSACTION, CONSTITUTES A SINGLE
13	VIOLATION OF THIS PART 5.
14	25-17-508. Local government regulation - preemption. On AND
15	AFTER JULY 1, 2024, A LOCAL GOVERNMENT MAY ENACT, IMPLEMENT, OR
16	ENFORCE ANY ORDINANCE, RESOLUTION, RULE, OR CHARTER PROVISION
17	THAT IS AS STRINGENT AS OR MORE STRINGENT THAN THIS PART 5.
18	25-17-509. Exemption for medical products. Nothing in this
19	PART 5 PROHIBITS OR LIMITS THE USE OF ANY MATERIAL USED IN THE
20	PACKAGING OF A PRODUCT THAT IS REGULATED AS A DRUG, MEDICAL
21	DEVICE, OR DIETARY SUPPLEMENT BY THE FOOD AND DRUG
22	ADMINISTRATION IN THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
23	HUMAN SERVICES UNDER THE "FEDERAL FOOD, DRUG, AND COSMETIC
24	ACT", 21 U.S.C. SEC. 321 ET SEQ., AS AMENDED, OR ANY EQUIPMENT AND
25	MATERIALS USED TO MANUFACTURE SUCH PRODUCTS.
26	SECTION 3. Effective date. This act takes effect upon passage;
27	except that section 1 of this act takes effect July 1, 2024.

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- 1 **SECTION 4.** Safety clause. The general assembly hereby finds,
- determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
- 3 preservation of the public peace, health, or safety.

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